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THE 1977 DEUEL CONFERENCE ON LIPIDS

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We are pleased to invite you to participate in this year's Conference. The program is very similar to the tentative program sent to you earlier. We look forward to a valuable series of presentations and discussions.

Will you please complete the enclosed form and return it to me as soon as possible (no later than Feb. 1): The following information may be helpful to you in your planning.

1. The Conference begins with wine tasting and dinner at 6:30 p.m. on Wednesday, March 2. We urge you to arrive in time for this enjoyable occasion. As you may know, Gordon Gould is responsible for the excellent selections of wine.

2. Those travelling by air should fly to Monterey and take the airport bus or taxi to the Highlands Inn, Carmel (about 20 minutes). Airline schedules for flights from San Francisco and Los Angeles are enclosed. Flights in and out of Monterey are more limited than usual this year.

3. The total expense at the Highlands Inn, including room, meals, tips and taxes for one person, double occupancy, will be approximately \$126.00, and for one person, single occupancy, will be approximately \$161.00. Again, be sure to fill in and return the enclosed form promptly to help us arrange for your room.

4. Please pay your own expenses at the time of departure. Speakers and others who have been promised reimbursement for part or all of their expenses should keep receipted bills for later submission. The Conference will reimburse participants occupying single rooms at the double occupancy rate only. The Conference cannot pay the expenses of accompanying spouses. There will probably be some residual funds; if so, and if you need assistance on expenses, contact the Chairperson at the time of the meeting (O. W. Portman).

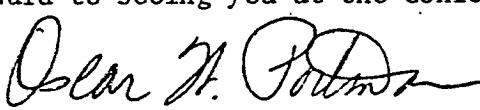
5. Material presented at the Conference will not be recorded or published in order to encourage free discussion.

6. Note that there is a change from the schedule of previous meetings. Both afternoons (March 3 and 4) will be free, but there will be meetings both evenings. If the weather is good, this will allow two opportunities for golf, tennis, hiking, rock-poking, etc. In case of rain it may be possible to transfer one evening session to the afternoon. The Highlands Inn will pack lunches for you if you request it no later than the breakfast hour. Also, for your convenience and information, copies of the "Monterey Weekly Review" will be available at the registration desk on your arrival at the Highlands Inn.

We very much look forward to seeing you at the Conference.

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